

# Hardcover Nonfiction Bestsellers

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+ = owned by library

No.	Title	Weeks on List
1.	<a href="#"><u>David and Goliath</u></a> by Malcolm Gladwell. Insightful anecdotes illustrate how underdogs and misfits gained advantage through adversity. +	7
2.	<b>The Bully Pulpit</b> by Doris Kearns Goodwin. The relationship between Presidents Teddy Roosevelt, and William H.Taft.and the press during their terms. <b>ON ORDER</b>	2
3.	<b>Things That Matter</b> by Charles Krauthammer. A collection of columns covering three decades of politics from the Financial Times. <b>ON ORDER</b>	4
4.	<b>L.A. Son</b> by Roy Choi. The tattooed bad boy pioneer of L.A.'s food-truck craze traces his life from childhood to the Kogi Korean taco truck.	2
5.	<b>Stitches</b> by Anne Lamott. A guide to finding emotional and spiritual meaning and peace after personal and public devastation. <b>ON ORDER</b>	3
6.	<b>Double Down</b> by Mark Halperin and John Heilemann. The back room, closed-door meetings and backstabbing maneuverings inside the 2012 presidential campaign.	2
7.	<a href="#"><u>I am Malala</u></a> by Malala Yousafzai. The story of the 15 year old Pakistani girl shot by the Taliban for standing up for her right to an education. +	6
8.	<b>Empty Mansions</b> by Bill Dedman. A portrait of the mysterious and reclusive heiress of the Gilded Age, Huguette Clark.	10
9.	<a href="#"><u>Killing Jesus</u></a> by Bill O'Reilly & Martin Dugard. The background of the life of Christ and events leading to his death. +	8
10.	<a href="#"><u>Let's Explore Diabetes With Owls</u></a> by David Sedaris. The essayist's recent collection of life's travails and travel tales. +	27

